

### Event Dates

Wednesday, May 6  
Thursday, May 7  
Friday, May 8

### General Schedule

2:00 PM to 8:00 PM

### Venue

"Estadio del Bicentenario"  
San Juan, Argentina

# PROGRAM

## Day 1 | May 6

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9:30 AM –  
12:30 PM

Platinum Room

### Demand & Contracting Outlook

Exclusive for sponsors and exhibitors

Brunch

Mining companies present project status, contracting priorities and supply timelines across exploration, construction and operations. The conference targets supplier firms, with limited access for exhibitors and sponsors of the San Juan International Mining Expo. Sessions are followed by a business brunch and, subsequently, by structured demand-driven meetings between suppliers and decision-makers.

1:30 PM –  
6:00 PM

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### Argentina Copper – Sessions

Pre-registration required  
Priority for exhibitors and sponsors

+Welcome brunch

An executive version of the Argentina Copper Conference, integrated into the San Juan International Mining Expo as its main side event. Ahead of the province's welcome reception, the session will focus, through a dynamic and high-level format, on the key themes shaping the present and outlook of Argentina's copper sector.

Through a series of strategic panels, the program presents the status of project pipelines, investment focus areas, companies' operational context and the international landscape. It also incorporates key variables such as geopolitics, financing, management and infrastructure, with a direct impact on the development of the copper sector.

2:00 PM –  
8:00 PM

### Exhibition Opening: Day 1

★ Featured activity

Exhibition floor open with stands and commercial areas. Direct engagement with mining companies, suppliers and key stakeholders across the industry value chain. Showcase of large-scale equipment, machinery, new technologies, products and services for Argentina's mining sector.

2:00 PM –  
8:00 PM

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Room

### Entrepreneurs & Regional Producers Pavilion

Local initiatives and products developed by regional talent from San Juan.

5:30 PM –  
7:30 PM

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### Official Tour: Opening Day + Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony

★ Featured activity

Visit by Dr. Marcelo Orrego, Governor of the Province of San Juan

Official presence of the Government of San Juan as part of the opening of the San Juan International Mining Expo. Institutional tour of the venue, participation in protocol activities and engagement with the community, companies, authorities and representatives of the mining ecosystem. Welcome to the province and formal opening of the exhibition.

6:00 PM –  
7:30 PM

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### Miners' Gathering

Meeting for workers

An activity that highlights the role of mining workers within the opening day of the San Juan International Mining Expo and in the lead-up to Argentina's Mining Day, with participation from union representatives and industry stakeholders. A gathering and recognition space promoted by the Argentine Mining Workers' Association (AOMA).

8:00 PM

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### Opening Cocktail Reception

★ Featured activity  
By invitation only  
Exclusive for sponsors and exhibitors

Executive industry reception

An exclusive cocktail reception for authorities, business leaders and senior executives from the mining sector. Priority access for exhibitors and sponsors. Organized in collaboration with the San Juan Mining Chamber and the Government of San Juan.



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### + Ring the Bell: TSX Market Opening Ceremony

Authorities and special guests will take part in the market opening ceremony, in a symbolic activation alongside the Toronto Stock Exchange, part of TMX Group.

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# Day 2 | May 7 – Argentina's Mining Day

Full Day

## 24 Hours of Innovation in Mining: First Session

*Interdisciplinary competition + Bootcamp*

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An intensive challenge aimed at university and technical students from San Juan, focused on developing applied solutions to real-world mining challenges through collaborative work and an interdisciplinary approach.

Teams composed of profiles from engineering, design, economics, IT, and exact and social sciences work on challenges proposed by companies and sector organizations, linked to industrial processes, technological innovation, and environmental, social, organizational and logistical aspects.

The activity is organized by the Faculty of Engineering of the National University of San Juan, with participation from companies and sector institutions that contribute challenges and support the evaluation process.

09:00 AM – 1:00 PM

## Mining & Industry: Talent and Articulation for Development

*Co-organized with WIM Argentina and UIA*

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This side event provides a platform for dialogue and analysis on the role of talent, industry and institutional articulation in the development of Argentina's mining sector.

The agenda addresses female participation in mining, integration within the national industrial ecosystem and challenges related to employment, training, productivity and supplier development, from a technical, business and institutional perspective.

The session brings together representatives from the mining, industrial and associative sectors, promoting the exchange of experiences and the identification of concrete opportunities for collaboration between mining and industry.

1:30 PM – 3:30 PM

## Germany Focus: Technology and Industrial Development for Mining

🎟 By invitation only

Gold Room

An update session on technologies developed in Germany for application in the mining industry, with a focus on advanced solutions, industrial integration and knowledge transfer to projects in Argentina and the region.

The program addresses the positioning of Germany's technology ecosystem within the sector, its link to the global mining industry, and opportunities for collaboration with local development. Co-organized with VDMA Mining & Minerals.

2:00 PM – 8:00 PM

## Exhibition Opening: Day 2

★ Featured activity

Exhibition floor open with stands and commercial areas. Direct engagement with mining companies, suppliers and key stakeholders across the industry value chain. Showcase of large-scale equipment, machinery, new technologies, products and services for Argentina's mining sector.

2:00 PM – 8:00 PM

## Entrepreneurs & Regional Producers Pavilion: Day 2

Local initiatives and products developed by regional talent from San Juan.

Entrepreneurs Room

2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

## Federal Mining Roundtable

★ Featured activity  
🎟 By invitation only  
🗉 Institutional meeting – limited

Institutional Area

Governors, national government officials, mining authorities, operating companies and leading institutions will convene the Federal Mining Roundtable, a strategic coordination forum aimed at consolidating an integrated vision of mining development across the country and strengthening the contribution of different regional production hubs.

The session promotes the convergence of capabilities, resources and growth opportunities within a federal agenda focused on development, investment and job creation nationwide.

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

## Veladero: Cocktail Reception – Community Development Committees of Iglesia and Jáchal

Veladero Stand

An institutional presentation of the Community Development Committees of Iglesia and Jáchal, featuring local representatives and key stakeholders from the Veladero project. The session will include remarks by Marcelo Álvarez, Vice President of Government Affairs LATAM at Barrick, together with committee members, addressing collaborative work with local communities and current initiatives across both departments.

5:00 PM – 5:30 PM

## Afternoon Coffee Break: Pre-Mining Day Ceremony

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5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

## 7M Special: Argentina's Mining Day Ceremony

★ Featured activity

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Main event of Mining Day, with participation from national and provincial authorities, governors, representatives from the business and labor sectors, and key stakeholders of the mining industry. An institutional gathering and recognition ceremony held in the context of Argentina's Mining Day.

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

## Los Azules Celebrates Argentina's Mining Day

🎟 By invitation only

Los Azules Stand

Mining Day celebration — hosted by Los Azules.

8:00 PM

## Argentina's Mining Industry Dinner

🎟 By invitation only

*Hosted by the Argentine Chamber of Mining Companies (CAEM)*

📍 Venue: Quinta Nazareno, San Juan

Annual dinner held in commemoration of Argentina's Mining Day, organized by the Argentine Chamber of Mining Companies (CAEM) within the framework of the San Juan International Mining Expo, and hosted at Quinta Nazareno, Pocito, San Juan.

The event brings together sector representatives, authorities and industry stakeholders in an institutional setting to mark the occasion and recognize the role of mining in Argentina.



# Day 3 | May 8

Full Day

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## 24 Hours of Innovation in Mining: Second Session & Awards Ceremony

*Interdisciplinary competition + Bootcamp + Academic activity*

Continuation of the 24-hour intensive challenge aimed at university and technical students from San Juan, focused on developing applied solutions to real-world mining challenges through collaborative work and an interdisciplinary approach.

At this stage, teams advance in the consolidation and final presentation of proposals developed from challenges posed by companies and sector organizations, linked to industrial processes, technological innovation, and environmental, social, organizational and logistical dimensions. The session is part of a broader training and educational engagement program that includes activities for secondary-level students and dedicated spaces for teacher training, consolidating a comprehensive approach to talent development within the mining industry.

The program concludes with the presentation of results and the awards ceremony, with participation from provincial authorities, academic representatives and industry stakeholders.

The activity is organized by the Faculty of Engineering of the National University of San Juan, with participation from companies and sector institutions that contribute challenges and support the evaluation process.

10:00 AM –  
1:00 PM

Gold Room

## Technical Sessions: Mining Engineering

*Co-organized with the Argentine College of Mining Engineers*

The Mining Engineering sessions provide a specialized platform for professional development and technical exchange among engineers, operations managers and sector professionals.

The program addresses trends in safety, processing, mine closure and industrial applications, along with professional practice, regulatory developments and the strategic role of engineering in mining at both national and international levels.

1:30 PM –  
3:30 PM

Gold Room

## Technical Sessions: Applied Geology in Mining

*Co-organized with the Professional Council of Geological Sciences of San Juan*

A specialized session focused on the geological analysis of projects under development and the strategic role of geology within the mining industry.

The program includes technical presentations, case study reviews and professional updates, with a focus on geological characterization, exploration and professional practice within the provincial and national mining context.

2:00 PM –  
8:00 PM

## Exhibition Opening: Day 3

★ Featured activity

Exhibition floor open with stands and commercial areas. Direct engagement with mining companies, suppliers and key stakeholders across the industry value chain. Showcase of large-scale equipment, machinery, new technologies, products and services for Argentina's mining sector.

2:00 PM –  
4:00 PM

Platinum Room

## Community Entrepreneurs Meeting

Panel discussion featuring representatives from the mining sector. The session will provide a space for exchange and networking among entrepreneurs from different communities, sharing experiences and success stories.

2:00 PM –  
8:00 PM

Entrepreneurs  
Room

## Entrepreneurs & Regional Producers Pavilion: Day 3

Local initiatives and products developed by regional talent from San Juan.

4:00 PM –  
6:30 PM

Gold Room

## Technical Sessions: Drilling Forum

*Co-organized with the San Juan Drilling Companies Chamber (CAPERFO)*

A technical session focused on the role of drilling across different stages of mining projects, with participation from companies, industry professionals and operations and human resources specialists.

The agenda includes expert presentations with a focus on local experience, a panel discussion on operational challenges and working conditions, and dedicated sessions connecting HR areas with mining companies, aligned with labor demand and technical requirements.

8:00 PM

## Event Closing

End of the San Juan International Mining Expo 2026

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